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EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE CENTENNIAL.

There will be another meeting in Odeon Hall Saturday afternoon of this week, at two o'clock, to make further arrangements for the centennial celebration. Everybody is invited to attend this meeting and offer suggestions and help make out a plan of procedure.

The following contributions have already been made.

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Contributions can be sent to the committee, A. D. Bellingwood, J. U. Purinton and S. N. Buck, Bethel, and they will appear in the following number of the News. An invitation is extended to all who have an interest in Bethel, to add to the sum.

Mr. A. T. Rowe of Boston contributes \$25.00 to the celebration fund this week. The committee hope to hear from more of the Bethel people who live away.

The members of the Boston Athletic Association will visit to Athens to compete in the Olympic games covered themselves all over with glory, taking first place in a number of contests. They received handsome treatment at the hands of the Greeks, though it must have galled the Greeks not a little to note how their own athletes were beaten.

Arrangements are being made for an international exposition next summer at Montreal. Montreal citizens have formed a stock company with a capital of \$1,000,000. The Canadian government will be asked to appropriate \$250,000 and the various departments will be asked to contribute. It will be open May 24th and will be an attraction for the people of the United States as well as those of Great Britain.

Rines Bros. Corporation.
The Rines Brothers Company have organized for the purpose of manufacturing, and doing general business in ladies' and children's dresses, with \$50,000 capital stock, of which \$600 is paid in. The officers are: President, Joseph H. Rines, of Portland; Treasurer, Albert S. Rines, of Portland.

A Year of Thirteen Months.
New ideas are constantly being originated, and the latest one is that, beginning with January 1, 1896, the year be divided into thirteen months, the first twelve of 28 days each and the last one of 29 with 30 on leap year. This would do away with the trouble of referring to calendars, as the same day of the week would have the same date throughout the year. If January 1 came on Monday, every Monday would be the 1st, 8th, 15th, and 22nd. The changes of the moon would be on about the same date throughout the year, and calculations like dates of maturing notes, interest, Easter Sunday, etc., would be simplified. The change would cause some confusion for a time, but the advantages it would give are certainly worthy of consideration, though it is not at all likely they will receive it.

NEW SUBSCRIBERS.

The following is the list of new subscribers received the past week:
Mrs. Della Shepherd, Kennebunk, Me.
Mrs. C. W. Milliken, Post Mills, Vermont.
Mrs. W. B. Small, Bryant's Pond, A. M. Sheenan, Dr. J. G. Bunting, Bethel, Me.

Patents have been granted to Frank Robinson of Bangor on a track jack device mark: Twichell, Champlin, Portland, hermetically sealed can goods.
Hon. James W. Wakefield tendered a dinner at noon yesterday at his residence in Bath to Judge Foster, at which several Bath lawyers and the high court officials of Sagadahoc county were present.

BETHEL LOCALS.

The usual services will be resumed at the Universalist church next Sunday.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Angela Clark, Tuesday P. M. Mrs. Dr. Bunting gave a very interesting account of the work in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chandler, also Misses Florence Twitchell and Alice Chamberlin, went to Norway Tuesday P. M. to attend the Opera given by the Berlin Opera Co.

Rev. F. E. Barton of Bethel has received an invitation to deliver the memorial address before Daniel A. Bean Post, G. A. R., at Brownfield, also the memorial sermon, May 24th, before the Whitman Post, Bryant's Pond.

HORSES AND HORSEMEN.

The old gray gelding Hendryx, 13½, by Danforth, is now used as a road horse in Boston.

A syndicate has been formed at Montreal to build and maintain a track for harness racing.

Ed Conley, an old time western driver is now with the runners and is located at Grand park, Denver.

The power of the 293, will go to the big meetings this year. A record of 2:10 is predicted for her.

James Gordon Bennett's European stable of trotters opened the season at Nice, France, in excellent form.

Harrietta, 2:09½, by Alcyon, the winner of the Transylvania stake in 1893, will be raced again this season.

It is many years since there was such a genuine demand for good horses, and at really good prices, as there is now.

The Cleveland association has made its grand circuit meeting in the city of the very great meetings of the year.

Best Schank, who drove Will Kora, 2:07½, to his record, will this season train the Ashland Wilkes stallion, Sterling R. Holt.

The famous kite track at Chillicothe, O., is not to be cut up into building lots. Its recent buyer has decided to remodel it and give race meetings over it.

Samp Wilson, the Kentucky trainer, has recommended the determination to train a stable of runners and has engaged to drive the harness racers of George H. Leavitt of Boston.

The executive committee of the Gentlemen's Driving Club of Baltimore has decided to open the trotting season at their track with a four days' meeting from May 19 to 22.

The owner of the famous gelding Banquet, Captain Aikin, also owns Redell, which horse won the Liverpool trial steeplechase at Sandown, near London, recently.

All of Major S. T. Dickinson's horses, Rosal, Leaf, Sally Simmons, Cocoon, Tod, Soan, etc., will be trained at Fleetwood this season by Keen Patterson, brother to Roddy of that ilk.

It is said that Matt Laird and Colonel Taylor have matched Rubenstein and "the iron horse" for a race of mile mats, three in five, to be paced over the Mansfield (O.) track June 28.

PLAYS AND PLAYERS.

Almost all of Charles Frohman's companies laid out this week.

Next season Modjeska will produce two plays not yet in her repertoire.

Odetta Tyler has been quite ill and out of the cast of "The Gay Parisians" at the Boston Museum.

Jane English, one of the prettiest of E. E. Rogers' beauties, has left the cast of "Little Christopher."

Fay Templeton is to play her original role of Gabriel in "Evangeline" at Manhattan Beach this summer.

J. H. Gilmore has broken his shoulder blade and will be confined to "Sowing the Wind" in a plaster cast.

Madeline Banton and George Backus will shortly appear in Sydney Rosefield's "A House of Mystery" at the Casino.

Julius Steger, Lucy Daly and Lillian Swain have been engaged for the forthcoming Casino review, "In Gay New York."

On Lillian Russell's tour next season Canary & Lederer have secured at this early stage of the game \$80,000 in guarantees.

Hermann the Great plays his first Broadway engagement in five years at Palmer's theater, New York, opening May 4.

"The Child Widow," which is to tour this country next season, with Arthur Bourcher in the star part, is one of the greatest contemporary successes of London.

"The Streets of Bombay" and "The Mystery of the Catecombs of Paris" are the latest titles chosen by Hermann the Great for new illusions he will present next season.

Walter Jones, who made his debut in "The Lady Slave" at the New York Casino on March 30 as a sleight of hand artist, has been discovered while producing a feat of such extraordinary strength that a knife is required to sever them.

A cab shaped like a bathtub, in which the passengers either sit or recline as if in a bed, is in use in Berlin. It has three wheels and is propelled by a naphtha motor.

Maine's forests are being made into paper at the rate of about 13,000 tons of pulp and paper every year. Some 6,000 men are employed in the pulp and paper industry and \$15,000,000 capital is invested in it.

Pine cones, to be picked up in any place where there are fir trees, are valuable for making an open fire which has become dull more cheerful. They are full of turpentine and a few thrown into a dying fire produce a blaze pleasant and fragrant.

Charlotte Corday's skull is in the possession of Prince Roland Bonaparte, who lives in London. George Duruy, son of the noted prince, who is a skilled anatomist and prizes anything in that line.

Joy descends gently upon us like the evening dew and does not patter down like a hailstorm.—Richter.

As the confusion of tongues was a mark of separation, so the language of a nation is a mark of union.—Bacon.

You may as well go about to turn the sun to loss by fanning in his face with a peacock's feather.—Shakespeare.

Room For One More.
"Would you like a sonata before dinner?" said the Washington hostess to the gentleman from Kentucky.

"Well, I don't mind," said he. "I had two on my way here, but I reckon I can stand another."—Boston Herald.

Had to Sprint.
He picked the bonnet up in haste, knowing he had no time to waste, and ran from store to home, a mile. For fear it would go out of style.—Truth.

Sincere Repentment.
Perry Pattie—repent, it is possible you may wear a cap! Who for?

March

April, May are most emphatically the months for taking a good blood purifier, because the system is now most in need of such a medicine, as it has more quickly responds to medicinal qualities. In winter impurities do not pass out of the body freely, but accumulate in the blood.

April

The best medicine to purify, enrich and vitalize the blood, and thus give strength and build up the system, is Hood's Sarsaparilla. Thousands take it every Spring Medicine, and more are taking it today than ever before. If you are tired, "out of

May

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SHORT MAINE ITEMS.

Picked up here and there over the STATE, and arranged for the News.

Edmond Osborne of Calais, aged 22, accidentally shot himself April 16th, and died in a few minutes.

He was examining a revolver, and it was charged.

Several robberies were reported at Greenville during the past few days, the victims being woodsmen.

Thomas Rogan lost a check for \$74 and between \$80 and \$40 in cash.

Mr. E. L. Knapp of West Hampden, shot a large otter near Goodale mountain Monday. It was a fine specimen and Mr. Knapp sold it in Bangor for a good price.

Fifty-one students of the Bangor High school are in training for the games at the meeting of the Maine Interscholastic Athletic association which will be held at Waterville, June 18th.

The agitation for a new hotel in Bath, has broken out in a new place. It is understood that the proprietor of the Tontine in Brunswick has offered to put a certain sum of money and to lease the house when built, and that certain Bath parties are talking of taking up with the offer.

Prof. F. L. Harvey, of the State college, has a curious lizard which he received from Oscar L. Pease, M. S. C., '81, of Arizona, where Mr. Pease is in business. The lizard is one of the famous Gila monsters and is a marked curiosity.

Its length is 15 inches, and it is considered three-quarters grown. These reptiles live on insects and birds' eggs. Prof. Harvey says that he has fed this one on meat and eggs, and that he seems to relish the food, though he eats sparingly.

So far as known this is the only really poisonous lizard in the United States. Great care is being taken of the new comer. He is very quiet, and stood his long journey very well. When it is desired to transfer him from one box to another, the professor rolls a piece of paper, puts it down into the box, and the reptile fastens his teeth to it with great tenacity, and holds there, until he is landed into another safe retreat.

UPTON.

H. T. Chase was in Berlin, Friday. Jessie Webb has gone to Portland.

C. E. Ryerson started his drive Saturday.

Fayette Brooks has recently purchased a cornet.

Snow is about all gone in the fields and roads.

William Whitney and wife went to Bethel one day last week.

Will Sargent, who for quite a while has been on the sick list, is now much better.

The hall at the Town Hall Thursday night was well attended, considering the bad roads.

THIS WAS A SMART CAT.

How He Convinced Himself That It Was His Own Image.

The late Dr. Romanes, in his "Animal Intelligence," gives two stories of cats, which, on seeing their own reflection in a looking glass, convinced themselves that the reflection was an illustration of a very intelligent animal, and, in consequence, treated it as such.

It is not light greater than fire? It is the same element in a state of purity.—Carlyle.

Knowledge of all walls the humankind, for all beyond the grave are joys of mind.—Hog.

Liberalism does not consist so much in giving a great deal as in giving seasonably.—La Mire.

He who always preaches his tale with laughter is poised between impudence and folly.—Lavigne.

"The game of life looks cheerful when one carries in one's heart the inalienable treasure.—Colquhoun.

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Parties subscribing for the News at this office who are not in the contest, may have their subscription count to any candidate, or person they wish to become a candidate.

The contest will close at precisely three o'clock on Saturday, June the 20th, 1895, and nothing received after the hour named will be credited.

The standing of the different contestants will be published in the News each week up to within two weeks of the close. The last two weeks, no information whatever regarding the standing of the contestants will be given from the News office.

THE BICYCLE COUNT.

Miss Alice Russell, 800
Gilman Chapman, 800
Vira Parker, 500
W. O. Green, Newbury, 100
Wm. Holmes, 500
J. E. Wortley,

BIRTHS.

In Albany, April 24, to the wife of H. B. McKen, a daughter.

In Norway, April 12, to the wife of Thomas Marshall, a daughter.

In Norway, April 13, to the wife of Henry F. Farrow, a son.

In East Sumner, April 3, to the wife of George L. Newell, a daughter.

In Stoneham, April 12, to the wife of John Files, a son.

In Waterville, to the wife of Horace Cleveland, a son.

In Oxford, March 21, to the wife of Fred Martin, a daughter. (Velva Alberta.)

In West Peru, April 6, to the wife of A. B. McIntire, a daughter.

In West Peru, April 11, to the wife of Elmer Knox, a son.

In Rumford Falls, April 15, to the wife of James D. Doherty, a daughter.

In Bethel, April 14, to the wife of Charles N. Swan, a son.

MARRIAGES.

In Lewiston, April 15, Mr. George Leslie Wadlin and Miss M. Belle Swasey daughter of Hon. John P. Swasey.

In Andover, March 30, by Rev. Will H. Varney, Fred E. Thomas and Susie B. Abbott, both of Andover.

In Haverhill, April 6, Sidney R. Howe and Lennie Bean, both of Haverhill.

In Norway, April 11, at the residence of H. L. Horn, by Rev. B. S. Ridout, Fred W. Snow of Lynn and Lillian E. McAllister of Norway.

In Bethel, April 18, at the Methodist parsonage, by Rev. A. Hamilton, Robert Wheeler and Miss Nellie Brink.

DEATHS.

In Lovell, April 10, Hadley Keniston, aged about 46 years.

In Newry, April 10, J. F. Littlehale.

In Woodstock, April 11, Luella Day.

In Norway, April 11, Mrs. Eliza Robins, aged 84 years.

In East Denmark, April 8, Edna J. Ingalls, aged 41 years 9 months, 7 days.

WORK PAVEMENT.

The various discouragements which some of the European cities have met with in securing satisfactory street pavements, have led to somewhat extensive experiments with what is called cork pavement, from the fact that cork is the most prominent and essential ingredient in the amalgam of which it is composed. The pavement used in Vienna consists of granulated cork mixed with mineral asphalt and other cohesive substances, compressed into blocks of suitable size and form. Among the numerous advantages attending this material, are cleanliness, noiselessness, durability, elasticity, freedom from slipperiness, whether wet or dry, and moderate cost. Unlike wood, too, it is nonabsorbent and consequently inodorous. It presents the minimum resistance to traction, and being elastic under passing loads does away with the vibration caused by heavy teaming. The blocks are imbedded in tar and rest upon a concrete base of bricks or stones. When taken up for examination, they have exhibited, when compared with new ones, a reduced thickness by wear of less than one-eighth inch, in the case of a section of a London street leading to the Great Eastern railway station, subjected to continuous heavy traffic, the blocks having been in use nearly two years.

SHORT SERMONS.

A man's life is an appendix to his heart.—South.

Joy is our wings; sorrows are our spurs.—Richter.

A little heart makes a blooming visage.—Scott Proverb.

The great secret of life is never to be in the way of others.—Hall.

A lie must be flattered with another, or it will soon rain through.—Owen.

God is the only love compass—a string of needles.—Wright.

Is not light greater than fire? It is the same element in a state of purity.—Carlyle.

Knowledge of all walls the humankind, for all beyond the grave are joys of mind.—Hog.



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SAW HIS OWN HEART.

UNPRECEDENTED EXPERIENCE OF A CHICAGO POLICEMAN.

One of the Bluecoats Injured by the Haymarket Bomb Saw in a Mirror the Bearing of His Own Heart—Saved by a Delicate Surgical Operation.

It must be an uncanny sensation to look within your breast and actually see the pulsation of your own heart. Yet this has been the experience of Charles W. Whitney, one of the men in blue who was injured in the Chicago Haymarket riot. His chest was torn away by the explosion of a bomb and as he lay in the hospital bed he saw, with the aid of a hand mirror, his own throbbing heart. What is still more marvelous, he recovered and is today doing a man's work and commanding \$100 a year more than an able-bodied policeman traveling a beat.

May 4, 1886, was a bloody night in Chicago's history. One hundred and seventy stalwart men marched from the Desplines Street station. They had been called there for several days anticipating a crisis, and at 10:30 o'clock the order to "fall in line" was given. The country thrilled with the horror that followed. The effects of the explosion and the throwing of a bomb that burst between Lieutenants Stanton and Bowler's companies left over 60 officers lying in a heap on Haymarket square. One man died within an hour, and two others were hopelessly crippled by having their legs blown off. Other men were cruelly maimed, 14 of whom are now dead.

But of all the men Whitney stood the smallest possible chance of life. His breast was horribly mutilated, and his exploded bomb were imbedded perilously near the vital organs. He was taken to the hospital, and after the necessary probing the wound was sewed up.

Just before taking the stitches Dr. J. B. Murphy inquired:

"My brave boy, do you want to see what no man ever saw before?"

"Yes. What is it?" asked the officer feebly.

"Your own heart,"

He handed his patient a mirror, and Whitney saw the greatest miracle ever given to human eyes. He now affirms that the heart is a movable organ, for it neither leaps into the throat nor descends into the boots. In fact, it does not indulge in any of the acrobatic feats generally ascribed to it by the imaginative writers of the past. Whitney's sensation as he watched the oscillation of his heart.

Within a month he was able to return home and was supposed to be on the road to recovery. Later he suffered a relapse, and, after weeks of unparalleled suffering, Dr. Murphy decided to resort to the most extreme operation known to scientific surgery. In the history of surgical procedure in this country it was the third time it has ever been undertaken, the former cases having proved fatal. A careful examination indicated that a piece of the bomb casing penetrated the breastbone, passing about midway between the second and third ribs, and was located about one-eighth of an inch from the pericardium. Like a magnet coquetting with a piece of metal, every throbbing of the heart brought the piece of shell nearer until the piercing of the organ was inevitable.

The operation was set for Friday, Nov. 6, 1886. Relatives and friends of the injured man protested, and, this coming to his ears, he said:

"I am going to make a test case of this and see if there is anything wrong with Friday."

The eventful morning came. The old wound was completely healed, but the flesh was laid open and Dr. Murphy proceeded to bore a hole through the officer's breastbone, very much as a skillful carpenter uses an auger on a hard wood stick. The instrument used was a trephine suitable for making a hole five-eighths of an inch in diameter.

The delicate operation was a marvelous success, for at the foot of this tiny tunnel lay the piece of bomb, which was easily plucked out with a pair of tweezers. It was a small piece, and composed of almost equal parts of copper, zinc and lead, and was coiled around the heart like a snake.

In the outer fatty coating of the heart, it was over a year before it healed, and during that time he wore a rubber drainage tube. But it was several years before he was able to do any manual labor. Meanwhile he watched the anarchists' trial, kept in touch with his comrades at the station and was detailed for light service. Three years ago he drove a patrol wagon and afterwards served as a messenger on the force. For a couple of years he was officer at the Goodrich school, and two years ago he was appointed as the Carter Harrison public bath, where his star guests usually bathers, large and small. He draws a regular salary for his service, and as long as he lives he will have a pension. The laws provide for this.

Whitney is a handsome man, with large gray eyes and brown mustache. Suffering has given him the characteristics of a scholar rather than a man of muscle. His conversation with physicians has given him a scientific knowledge of anatomy, which is perhaps not so remarkable considering he is the only man in the world who has seen his own heart. —Chicago Chronicle.

He Had Been Treated.

Old Lady (compassionately)—Poor fellow! I suppose your blindness is incurable. Have you ever been treated?

Blind Man (sighing)—Yes, madam, but not often. "Tain't many as likes to be seen goin into a public house with a blind beggar."—London Tit-Bits.

A Terrible Threat.

Register (to witnesses at a marriage who are talking very loud)—Ladies and gentlemen, if you won't be quiet, I shall marry the lot of you!—Leshalle.

GREATHER GOTHAM.

Greater New York means greater district in Chicago.—New York Press.

Let us hope that with added size New York city will have an enlarged sense of civic duty.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Miss Brooklyn doesn't want to wed Father Knickerbocker, but her wishes appear to have been overridden up at Albany. In another case of a cruel and determined.

LUCIEN BONAPARTE.

He Was the Ablest and Most Courageous of the Emperor's Brothers.

The younger brother had, after the first juvenile heats of radicalism, become a moderate republican, holding his convictions resolutely. Having opposed the imperial consulate for Napoleon, he withdrew unmindful of any reward he might have claimed for his services of Brumaire, to lead a life of study and cultivate his inborn literary tastes. On the death of his first wife, by whom he had two daughters, he married, in direct opposition to Napoleon's wishes, the beautiful and accomplished Mme. de Jamberth. This was in 1808. He had been importuned to put her away and lead himself to the project of accepting a crown and contracting a royal marriage. He was by far the ablest and most courageous of the Bonaparte brothers, but his heart was true, his principles were fixed, and he was utterly indifferent to the rise of Napoleonic empire.

It was with reluctance that he came to Mantua. There are two accounts of the long battle there—that which has been long been accepted by Napoleon offering and Lucien holy refusing the crown of Portugal, with the hand of Prince Ferdinand for his daughter Charlotte, and even that which makes the first offer to have been Etienne. Both accounts agree, however, that the bid was raised to the interest of his brother's imperial rule. Lucien declined even this bribe, declaring that he would accept the crown, but that he would accept the interests of his subjects, and that he would in no case concede a divorce. Angry words were spoken. Napoleon crushed him with a watch with which he had been trying hissing out that thus he would crush wills which opposed his. "I defy you to commit a crime," retorted Lucien.

After parting, he requested that at least his brother's eldest daughter might be sent to Paris for use in his scheme of royal alliances. Lucien assented, and the child, a clever girl of about 15, was sent to live with Mme. de Jamberth, a woman of great intelligence and bright, successful letters to her stepmother, whom she loved, depicting the avarice of her grandmother and the follies of her other relatives.

The time, were intermingled with the "cabinet noir." Their contents had been known to Napoleon, he sent the petulant, witty writer back to her father. Despairing of any support from Lucien or his family, Napoleon formally adopted his stepson Eugene, formally with a view to consolidating and confirming the Italian feeling of dependence on France.—Professor Sloane's "Life of Napoleon" in Century.

AUSTRIA'S BARBERS.

They Must Be Apprenticed Three Years and Pass Examination.

The Austrians take no chances with their barbers. They must be good, and the Barbers and Wigmakers' union of Vienna sees to it that they are. Provision is also made in their code for women barbers who desire to carry on the business of their husbands in case of the latter's death or illness.

But in order to do this the wife must have been enrolled in the union as an apprentice for three years. Apprentices, by the rules of the union, must appear in Vienna in the presence of judges of union and show their skill before they are allowed to open shops of their own.

A properly certified barber must have a knowledge of and pass an examination in shaving, hair cutting, hair curling and wigmaking, and during the period before the issuance of a certificate the poor and others who are frugal serve as subjects for experiment.

At the examination the young men have their razors dulled by four strokes in a pine plank, and they must then sharpen them. A subject is assigned to each, who must be tonsorially perfect, in the opinion of the judges, when the apprentice has released him.

After this a certificate is issued and the apprentice serves two years as a journeyman before he may open a shop as an employer. The average age of apprentices when they begin to learn their trade is 18 years.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

When Economy Economizes.

"Will it pay?" should be the first question asked when looking over the old clothes with a view to making over. Time should be considered first, and it can be put to a better use than let the garment go and buy a new one. If time will permit, then consider whether the garment will look well enough when completed to be satisfactory. Will it have a shabby, made over look, and, if so, will a quantity of new material remove that objection? Then consider the expense of the new goods, make a few figures if necessary, and, once deciding that it is a paying investment, rip, cleanse and make, with a hearty faith in the good results.—Ladies' Home Journal.

A Good Thing.

Johnny (who has been watching a funeral for the first time)—Mamma, why do all they wear black?

Mamma—People always wear black when they have lost any of their family.

Johnny—And do they have to get everything new?

Mamma—Oh, I suppose so.

Johnny—Well, it's a good thing the Smiths' cat is black.—New York Journal.

ADVERTISING AXIOMS.

Man advertisers and the people make purchases.

"New things always appear fine." Change your "ad." frequently, keeping the main thought prominent.

"Yes, and the necessity knows no law." But the necessity of advertising is apparent to all who desire to reach the masses.

"Better late than never." The golden opportunity is still open to him who would catch himself by judicious advertising. None other will pay.

SURE TO WIN POKER HINTS.

The whole object of poker is to save your own money and secure some one's else. Win cash and lose on credit is a good general rule.

Therefore buy only one-half as many chips as you think you will need. When they are gone, quit.

Ante only when you are reminded of it. You'll make a chip or two in an evening by following this advice.

If any one has to over for chips, make sure that you're the first to do so. Then bet against the ready money players.

Get a look at the bottom card if you can. It may alter your draw materially.

Always "salt away" checks in your pockets. No one then can tell how you stand and you can be "shy" from time to time.

Watch the discards carefully, but use them sparingly. Excess in these luxuries may bring trouble.

Sell your chips while you have plenty of them, but only for cash.

If there is a lull, take a few extra cigars. If you don't smoke yourself, "take others."

At the close of the game have your friends and multiply your losses in discussing how you stand. All good players do this.

Never pay any holdover debts at the beginning of a new game. Money men have been known to accept money so far and refuse to play.

When luck is against you, call for a new pack, grumble and claim more trouble than ever mortal had before.

When you are winning, look at your watch all the time with the remark, "I've got to go pretty soon." Go when you get good and ready.

By following these instructions you will save an intimate knowledge of the game, even if you do not win.—New York World.

DREAM SUPERSTITIONS.

Eating eggs in a dream means a sudden increase of your property.

A dream of a broad clean path means long continued good health.

To dream of an anchor indicates some unexpected success or good fortune.

To dream of eating good bread means that you will soon be happily married.

A dream about a funeral betokens a speedy marriage among your acquaintances.

A dream about being shaved denotes that you are soon to be jilted by your sweetheart.

To dream that you are drinking out of a washbasin is a sign that you are soon to fall in love.

To dream of a swallow signifies that you will soon make the acquaintance of a strange young lady.

For a young woman to dream about an old man means that she will shortly marry a rich young lover.

A dream about paying money means that you will shortly be involved in a lawsuit which you will win.

A dream about a giant means that you will shortly have a great increase in your business or in the profits of your profession.

For a housekeeper to dream that her hired girl has gone away is a sure sign of some serious accident or misfortune to the family.

THE EYE.

Wide open eyes are indicative of rashness.

Cesar Borgia had prominent half-closed eyes.

Belisarius, the Roman general, lost his eyes through dust thrown into them during a siege.

Mme. de Brinvilliers had large blood-shot eyes, and lids of which almost closed.

The eyes of a cat do not shine in the dark, but by reflection from the light behind the pupil.

The common level is said by naturalists to be provided with from two to ten million eyes, having all parts in comparative perfection.

In ancient Greek art Venus was always represented with the upper eyelid arched, imparting a languishing expression to the countenance.

The vision is not obscured by the act of blinking, which takes place so frequently that the outer image remains impressed on the retina.

The creature, the calcareous covering of the eye, is much used in Venezuela for removing foreign substances from the eye.

UNENDING.

There is an end to kisses and to sighs; And to the greatest praise of beauty's eyes; An end to fair things that delight our eyes; An end to pleasant sounds that charm our ears; An end to emerald's foot-tling; And to the greatest praise of beauty's eyes; There is an end to all but one sweet thing; To love there is no end.

That warrior carved an empire with his sword; The empire now is but like his—no more; That statesman spoke, and by a burning word He kindled a nation's heart into a flame; Now naught is left but ashes, and we bring Our homages to new men; to them we bend; There is an end to all but one sweet thing; To love there is no end.

All beauty fades away, or else, alas! Man's eyes grow dim, and they no beauty see; The glorious shows of nature pass and pass—Quickly they come; as quickly do they flee; Hours melt the slow, sad farewell of his friend; There is an end to all but one sweet thing; To love there is no end.—All the Year Round.

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SOME ANIMAL HUNTERS.

Strategy by Which California Coyotes Ran Down a Jack Rabbit.

An Indian will often take a deer's trail, when the deer are scarce, and follow it for days, preventing the deer from feeding or resting and making it so weary and careless that in the end he kills it by a shot at short range. Probably the Indians first learned to follow a deer in this fashion from observing the habits of wolves, panthers and other wild and tireless trailers of game.

The coyote is not so strong a wolf as its big gray cousin in Maine and other well known hunting grounds. Nevertheless he has been known to run jack rabbits in pairs as surely as death, but in a more expeditious way than the Maine animal adopted. Whether it is a habit or not of coyotes to run jack rabbits in pairs cannot be said for certain, but a story was told some time ago in a well known sportsman's paper which, being backed by a similar story of English foxes, has every appearance of being truthful.

The two coyotes were seen to jump a rabbit one day out in a field on a mesa. One of the coyotes took after it on the dead jump, the other trotted to a near by rise and lay down, with its nose on its paws, knowing that the rabbit would surely be there. Pretty soon along came the jack rabbit with its "coyote" behind, both going full tilt. Up jumped the waiting coyote, and away it went after the rabbit, while the other stayed on the rise and waited, as its companion had done, to take the trail on the rabbit's return. It was not long before the rabbit was exhausted by the strategy and endurance of both the animals of prey and soon fell an easy victim to be eaten by both the hunters.

J. B. Bennett of Brooklyn saw a fox early one morning lying beside the open, narrow gate of a rabbit proof fence that surrounded a 40 acre plantation not far from the Mass. of Queensbury's game preserve in Scotland. Looking over into the inclosure, he saw another fox chasing the rabbits that had entered the open gate to get at the cabbages there.

The rabbits, eight or ten of them—were headed for the gate and many like "cutty sarks." When one plunged through the gateway, the fox lying alongside it leaped and had it by the back of the neck in a jiffy. Then the fox tore into pieces and pieces and "enjoyed the feast like honest sportsman."

—New York Sun.

WHERE JOHN BULL GOT HIS NAME.

Story of the Origin of Great Britain's Usual Nickname.

John Bull, the mythical personage supposed to represent the English people and now figuring largely in our editorial writing and in cartoons, was the invention of Dr. Arbuthnot in one of his satirical sketches ridiculing the great Dr. Johnson. Arbuthnot was the "first man among men" in the days of Queen Anne's time. He drew John Bull as the typical Englishman—a stout, red faced old farmer, far too corpulent for comfort, choleric, but with an honest and well meaning fellow. He clothed him in leather breeches and top-boots, and a bulldog at his heels and set him up for all time to serve as the representative Englishman.

He may have been not so bad a caricature in the days of Queen Anne, but today certainly there is much force in Leslie Stephen's remark that "he completely hides the Englishman of real life." The Englishman of today is physically not so stout as the original—probably not so stout as the average American, and the stout cudgeled and the bulldog are no longer apt symbols of the nation's disposition.

He has lost the excessive corpulence of his forefathers and is, above all, anxious to keep the peace with his Uncle Samuel.—Baltimore Sun.

Family Pets and Women.

The family of the late General McClellan were devoted to animals. Indeed Miss McClellan carried her devotion so far that she used to take her white mice (which were named, by the way, after the Kings of the ancient Egyptian dynasty) to the Italian opera, as Mrs. Van Rensselaer Crozier did her celebrated turtle, Mlle. Michette, which, attired in its rosy colored sash, used to be brought in on a tray by the butler to dine to casual callers. When the McClellans' house down town was burned some years ago, the family pets included an elderly and infirm cat, Samuel J. Tilden by name. Mrs. McClellan stood on the sidewalk watching the destruction of her household goods and exclaimed in great anxiety, "Oh, where is Samuel?" A kindly fireman overheard her. "Do not fear, madam, the children will be all saved."

It is pleasant to record that Samuel was rescued uninjured.—New York Journal.

The "Electric Magnet."

Annie May Abbott, the famous "electric magnet" whose feats of strength created a considerable sensation some years ago, is amusing herself now with the strong men of China and Japan.

The Japanese wrestlers, whose physical strength is celebrated the world over, were unable to raise Miss Abbott from the floor, while with the tips of her fingers she neutralized their most strenuous efforts to lift light objects, such as a cat from a table. The Japanese papers say this is hypocrisy, while the Chinese journals accuse her of being in league with the powers of evil.

D'Annunzio's Retort.

One of the friends of the Duc d'Annunzio the other day, in talking to the prince of the coming marriage of the second daughter of the Duc de Chartres to the son of Marshal MacMahon, referred to its possible political effects.

"Yes," said the former commander of the Seventh corps, "we have been forbidden to give our sons to the army, so we give our daughters."

THE CYCIC.

People are never so indifferent as when a good man runs for office.

Many a man known as a wit is nothing more than a clever blackguard.

If you think any one is wise, it is because you don't know him very well.

A lawyer's idea of success is to win a suit in which he knows he is in the wrong.

A great many people who "got there" arrive in a hearse instead of in a band wagon.

Lots of men who are looking for work wouldn't know what to do with it if they should find it.

The real picture member of a family is the one who does the most lying when guests are present.

"It is a great pleasure for a man to make a mistake in marriage, but he always runs the risk of being accepted."

We have noticed that men who fall and beat their friends out of great sums of money are great men to talk about "honor."

"To dream that you have refused aims to a bigger means that you will shortly lose some money, perhaps by the dishonesty of some trusted friend."

At eclipse of the sun seen in a dream means that you will soon lose some money; friend by death; an eclipse of the moon, a similar loss of a female friend.

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